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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Werner JACOB - 2 PCT  
SERIAL NO.: 10/524,391 EXAMINER: BINDA, GREGORY JOHN  
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TITLE: LONGITUDINAL SHAFT

PETITION UNDER RULE 136(a) AND RULE 17(a)(3)

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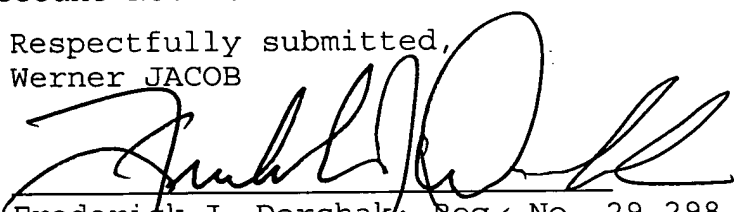
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